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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Application of Antonio LOPEZ CABRERA

and Josep HOMEDES BEGUER entitled "PREPARATION FOR VETERINARY USE"

Our Ref.: Q-67978

Dear Sir:

identified application hereto is the Attached comprising 20 sheets of the specification, including the claims and Abstract, the executed Assignment (accompanied by Form PTO-1595) and the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

being filed Amendment is Preliminary herewith.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

\$18.00 = Total claims 14 - 20 Independent \$84.00 = claims \$740.00 Base Fee

\$740.00 TOTAL FILING FEE \$40.00 Recordation of Assignment \$780.00 TOTAL FEE

Priority is claimed from:

Filing Date Application No Country

February 6, 2001 ES P200100254 SPAIN

simultaneously priority is being document The herewith.

Commissioner for Patents

A check for the statutory filing fee, in the amount of is being submitted herewith. A check for the Assignment recordation fee, in the amount of \$40.00, is attached thereto.

The Commissioner is hereby directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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